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METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF  
GEOTEXTILES FROM MELT-SPUN FIBERS  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TO REDUCE PTO FILING FEES**

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Sir:

In the interest of reducing PTO filing fees, please amend the present application as follows: